








Material Safety Data Sheet

| HAZARD WARNINGS | RISK PHRASES | PROTECTIVE CLOTHING |
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|    | Flammable material; avoid heat and sources of ignition. Harmful compound, minimize exposure. Irritating to skin, eyes, and the respiratory system. Environmental hazard. This material is toxic to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects to the aquatic environment. |     |

Section I. Chemical Product and Company Identification

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| Chemical Name | Methylcyclohexane | | |
| Catalog Number | M0190 | Supplier | TCl America 9211 N. Harborgate St. Portland OR 1-800-423-8616 |
| Synonym | Hexahydrotoluene | | |
| Chemical Formula | CH ₃ C ₆ H ₁₁ | | |
| CAS Number | 108-87-2 | In case of Emergency Call | Chemtrec® (800) 424-9300 (U.S.) (703) 527-3887 (International) |

Section II. Composition and Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name | CAS Number | Percent (%) | TLV/PEL | Toxicology Data |
|-------------------|------------|----------------|----------------|---|
| Methylcyclohexane | 108-87-2 | Min. 99.0 (GC) | Not available. | Rat LD ₅₀ (oral) >3200 mg/kg Mouse LD ₅₀ (oral) 1.2 g/kg Mouse LC ₅₀ (inhalation) 36,900 mg/m ³ /4H |

Section III. Hazards Identification

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| Acute Health Effects | Harmful if ingested or inhaled. Minimize exposure to this material. Severe overexposure can result in injury or death. Irritating to eyes and skin on contact. Inhalation causes irritation of the lungs and respiratory system. Inflammation of the eye is characterized by redness, watering, and itching. Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering. Follow safe industrial hygiene practices and always wear proper protective equipment when handling this compound. |
| Chronic Health Effects | CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS : Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS : Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS : Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY : Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure to this compound is not known to aggravate existing medical conditions. |

Section IV. First Aid Measures

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| Eye Contact | Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention. |
| Skin Contact | In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention. |
| Inhalation | If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, oxygen can be administered. Seek medical attention if respiration problems do not improve. |
| Ingestion | INDUCE VOMITING by sticking finger in throat. Lower the head so that the vomit will not reenter the mouth and throat. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Examine the lips and mouth to ascertain whether the tissues are damaged, a possible indication that the toxic material was ingested; the absence of such signs, however, is not conclusive. |

Section V. Fire and Explosion Data

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| Flammability | Flammable. | Auto-Ignition | 258 °C (496.4 °F) |
| Flash Points | -4 °C (24.8 °F). | Flammable Limits | LOWER: 1.2% UPPER: 6.7% |
| Combustion Products | These products are toxic carbon oxides (CO, CO ₂). | | |
| Fire Hazards | Not available. | | |
| Explosion Hazards | Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available. | | |
| Fire Fighting Media and Instructions | | | |

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Emergency phone number (800) 424-9300

Flammable liquid.
 SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.
 LARGE FIRE: Use alcohol foam, water spray or fog.
 Consult with local fire authorities before attempting large scale fire-fighting operations.

Section VI. Accidental Release Measures

Spill Cleanup Instructions
 Flammable material. Environmentally hazardous material. Harmful material. Irritating material.
 Keep away from heat. Mechanical exhaust required. Stop leak if without risk. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. DO NOT touch spilled material. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Consult federal, state, and/or local authorities for assistance on disposal.

Section VII. Handling and Storage

Handling and Storage Information
 FLAMMABLE. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD. HARMFUL. IRRITANT. Keep away from heat. Mechanical exhaust required. Avoid excessive heat and light. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray.

Section VIII. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls
 Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash station and safety shower is proximal to the work-station location.

Personal Protection
 Splash goggles. Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Boots. Gloves. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.



Exposure Limits
 Not available.

Section IX. Physical and Chemical Properties

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| Physical state @ 20°C | Liquid. (Clear Colorless.) | Solubility | Miscible with petroleum ether, carbon tetrachloride. |
| Specific Gravity | 0.77 (water=1) | | Soluble in alcohol, ether, acetone, benzene. Insoluble in water. |
| Molecular Weight | 98.19 | Partition Coefficient | Not available. |
| Boiling Point | 100 °C (212 °F) | Vapor Pressure | 5.73 kPa (@ 20 °C) |
| Melting Point | -127 °C (-196.6 °F) | Vapor Density | 3.4 (Air = 1) |
| Refractive Index | 1.422 - 1.424 | Volatility | Not available. |
| Critical Temperature | Not available. | Odor | Weakly benzene-like. (Slight.) |
| Viscosity | Not available. | Taste | Not available. |

Section X. Stability and Reactivity Data

Stability
 This material is stable if stored under proper conditions. (See Section VII for instructions)

Conditions of Instability
 Avoid excessive heat and light.

Incompatibilities
 Reactive with strong oxidizing agents.

Section XI. Toxicological Information

RTECS Number
 GV6125000

Routes of Exposure
 Eye Contact. Ingestion. Inhalation.

Toxicity Data
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Chronic Toxic Effects
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DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available.
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Acute Toxic Effects
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Section XII. Ecological Information

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| Ecotoxicity | Not available. |
| Environmental Fate | Not available. |

Section XIII. Disposal Considerations

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| Waste Disposal | Recycle to process, if possible. Consult your local regional authorities. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance. |
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Section XIV. Transport Information

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| DOT Classification | DOT CLASS 3: Flammable liquid |
| PIN Number | UN2296 |
| Proper Shipping Name | Methylcyclohexane |
| Packing Group (PG) | II |
| DOT Pictograms |  |

Section XV. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms

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| TSCA Chemical Inventory (EPA) | This compound is ON the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory list. |
| WHMIS Classification (Canada) | On DSL |
| EINECS Number (EEC) | 203-624-3 |
| EEC Risk Statements | R10- Flammable. 18- In use, may form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture. R20/21/22- Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. R51- Toxic to aquatic organisms. R53- May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. |
| Japanese Regulatory Data | ENCS No. 3-2230 |

Section XVI. Other Information

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